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SUBJECT: SECURE VOICE FACILITY - GENEVA

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1. FOL IS REVIEW OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS BETWEEN CEO SATTERFIELD, GENEVA AND CWO SPAULDING, STRATCOM- HEIDELBERG. CWO SPAULDING UNDER IMPRESSION THAT FOUR SETS OF TERMINAL EQUIPMENT EXISTS AT GENEVA. TWO KY-66 TERMINALS USED WITH DEDICATED LINE AND TWO HY-2 TERMINALS USED WITH AUTOVON. WHEN INFORMED THAT ONLY ONE EACH TERMINAL EXISTED, ENTIRE PICTURE CHANGED. HY-2 AUTOVON CIRCUIT COULD NOT BE DISTURBED BECAUSE IT IS ONLY ACCESS TO OTHER FACILITIES HAVING HY-2 EQUIPMENT. KY-66 EQUIPMENT COULD BE REPLACED ONLY IF CIRCUIT DOWN- TIME WAS ABSOLUTE MINIMUM AND THAT KY-66 COULD BE REACTIVATED IN THE EVENT HY-11 NOT SATISFACTORY.

2. AFTER CONVERSATION WITH RCO, PASSED ON FOL PLAN TO CWO SPAULDING: INSTALL ENTIRE HY-11 TERMINAL ALONGSIDE HY-2 RACK. THIS WOULD CONSIST OF KG-13, RIXON CCU, VERSATRON CONVERTOR/ ISOLATOR, HY-11 AND SCS. RIXON MODEMS COULD BE INSTALLED IN RACK ALONGSIDE MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT RACK. ALL CONDUIT AND CABLING COULD BE INSTALLED AND CONNECTION MADE TO THESE EQUIPMENTS. CONNECTIONS TO EXISTING EQUIPMENT COULD BE MADE AFTER NORMAL WORKING HOURS AND PROBABLY BE COMPLETED BEFORE CIRCUITS WERE REQUIRED FOR NEXT DAY'S TRAFFIC. ALL THREE SETS OF TERMINAL EQUIPMENT WOULD APPEAR ON SECORD AND COULD BE PATCHED INTO EITHER THE DEDICATED LINE

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OR AUTOVON LINE AS REQUIRED. SINCE HY-11 EQUIPMENT IS TO BE USED PRIMARILY ON DEDICATED LINE, RELAY COULD BE USED TO SELECT TYPE OF EQUIPMENT PRESENTED TO DEDICATED LINE.

3. CWO SPAULDING SAID MAJOR PROBLEM WAS THAT ONLY MINIMUM OF INSTALLATION MATERIAL HAD BEEN SHIPPED. HIS PLANS CALLED FOR SUBSTITUTION OF HY-11 EQUIPMENT IN EXISTING RACKS AND USE OF EXISTING CONDUIT AND CABLING. HE IS SENDING CABLE TO HIS HQDS IN WASHINGTON STATING PROBLEM AND ASKING ADVISE. IF PLAN APPROVED BELIEVE MATERIALS COULD BE SHIPPED FROM OC. MAJOR ITEMS WOULD BE ONE INCH AND ONE AND ONE HALF INCH CONDUIT AND FITTING PLUS ONE PAIR, TWO PAIR AND THREE PAIR STRANDED, SHIELDED CABLE. RIMESTAD

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